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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Kenji HINO
SHUTTER DEVICE
Assignee: **PIONEER CORPORATION**
Our Ref. Q81042

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising thirty (30) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, eleven (11) sheets of drawings, a copy of the executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified).

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>4</u>	-	20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u>	-	3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee										\$770.00
TOTAL FILING FEE										\$770.00
Recordation of Assignment										\$40.00
TOTAL FEE										\$810.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Japan

2003-109661

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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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